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SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev Fac to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Gilpin House, in the City of New Castle, New Castle Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware,

ON FRIDAY,
THE 24TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1905
at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain tract or parcel of land with the improvements situate in Pencader Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a stone a corner for Cantwell Clark's land; thence running and binding therewith South eighty-seven and a half degrees West one hundred and eighty-three perches and eight-tenths of a perch to a stone; thence North fourteen degrees East forty-five perches to a stone; thence North eighty-eight degrees East seven perches and six-tenths of a perch to a stone; thence with land of John Hassett North one degree West one hundred and twenty-two perches and three-tenths of a perch to a stake; thence with land of Godfrey Harkenstine North eighty-seven degrees East eighty perches and five-tenths of a perch to a gum tree; thence North eighty-five and a half degrees East forty perches and six-tenths of a perch to a stone; thence South two and one-fourth degrees East thirty-six perches and six-tenths of a perch to a stone in James Livingstons line; thence with his land North eighty-seven degrees East thirty-eight perches and eight-tenths of a perch to a stone; thence with Thomas W. Dayett's land South one degree East forty-eight perches and five-tenths of a perch to a stake; thence North eighty-eight degrees East one hundred and one perches and eight-tenths of a perch to the centre of the public road leading from Glasgow to Newark; thence with the centre of said road South fifty-four degrees West forty-four perches to a stake; thence still with the centre of said road South twenty-nine degrees west sixteen perches to a stone; thence North seventy-nine degrees West fifty-four perches to a stone; thence South one degree East fifty-five perches and two-tenths of a perch to the first mentioned stone the place of Beginning. Containing within those bounds one-hundred and seventy-five acres three roods and seven perches of land be the same more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Richard Sullivan, and to be sold by

HARRY I. GILLIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8th, 1905.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House on Market street between 10th and 11th streets in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,
THE 25th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1905,
at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with a two story frame house thereon erected situate in the City of Wilmington, aforesaid (formerly Christiana Hundred) bounded and de-cribed as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Oak street at the distance of one hundred and fifty feet Southerly from the Southerly side of Maryland Avenue; thence Westerly and parallel with Maryland Avenue seventy-five feet to a corner; thence Southerly parallel with Oak street twenty-five feet to a corner; thence Easterly parallel with Maryland Avenue seventy-five feet to the aforesaid side of Oak street and thence thereby Northerly twenty-five feet to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Wilmer J. Ellison Administrator of William H. Windsor, deceased, mortgagor and to be sold by,

HARRY I. GILLIS, Sheriff,
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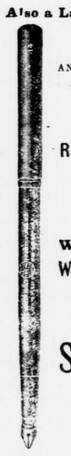

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E. G. TOWNSEND

There was a man who advertised
But once—a single time.
In spot obscure placed he his ad.
And paid for it a dime.

And just because it didn't bring
Him customers by the score,
"All advertising is a fake,"
He said, or rather, swore.

He seemed to think one hammer tap
Would drive a nail clear in;
That from a bit of tiny thread
A weaver tents could spin.

If he this reasoning bright applied
To eating, doubtless he
Would claim one little bite would feed
Ten men a century.

Some day, though, he will learn that to
Make advertising pay,
He'll have to add ads. to his ad.,
And advertise each day.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Two national associations of hardware men have held their conventions in Washington this week and finished their business to day with an endorsement of President Roosevelt's position on the rate question. It was a big gathering one convention representing all the big manufacturing firms of the county and the other of the jobbers represented by the men who sell the manufactures products to the trade and to the public. It was an important meeting in a way and brought together 1,000 of the biggest men in the business. Just what was the internal business of the two meetings must remain more or less of a mystery as both were in executive session and dealt chiefly with the trade arrangements which are supposed to be no business of the public. Two things came to light however which were of general interest, one the adoption of a resolution, almost an identical resolution by both bodies for a reform of the consular services "on business lines," and the other the endorsement of the President on rate legislation as aforesaid.

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Now it may seem like impertinence for an outsider to criticise the action of such a body of men who unquestionably know how to run their own particular trade, because they have made a success of it and are all of them prosperous citizens. But their two resolutions were a fair sample of the action of the trade conventions which more and more make the capital city a meeting place. The railroad rate resolution of the manufacturers was passed only after a severe fight. It came near not being passed at all. Reduced to its real meaning, it was simply an assertion that there ought to be something done in the rate line and that lacking any better information, the association thought it wisest to endorse the President and let it go at that. Now of course the President and the attorney general have given their best thought to the matter and their conclusions so far as they have reached concrete form are probably wise. But there was a large body of representative men who have to deal continually with the rate question, and there was not a single suggestion from any of them as to the practical points that such legislation ought to cover, nothing to indicate how they were affected or why any reforms were necessary or desirable. It was a body that apparently could have given the administration valuable advice of what is confessedly a knotty problem. But no. The resolution was as blank of practical suggestion as an iceburg is of herbage.

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The two resolutions on the extension of American trade was equally childish. They simply stated that it was desirable that the consular service should be re-organized on business lines with a view to extending the foreign markets of the United States. Now Secretary Root has gone into the State Department with the avowed wish to re-organize the consular service and he has the endorsement of Secretary Taft, just returned from an extensive trip through the Orient, that such re-organization is desirable. But the very men who ought to have ideas as to foreign trade and whose suggestion would have been most thankfully received at the State Department at this juncture, passed up the whole matter with the badly overworked phrase of "re-organization on business lines" which no man has yet been able to fathom the meaning of. There was not a single concrete suggestion in the resolution and there was no attempt to appoint a committee to get into touch with the State Department and offer advice on what is one of the most important topics of the day. Decidedly the two conventions missed a very brilliant opportunity.

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The rumor is afloat that Japan and the United States are to exchange compliments by raising their diplomatic representatives at Washington and Tokyo to the rank of ambassadors. Assistant Secretary Bacon of the State Department says that nothing has been done in the matter so far. But Washington is becoming more and more a first class diplomatic post and there are now as many ambassadors in the diplomatic list as there are ministers. In fact all of the first class powers now have ambassadors in the United States and it is the custom sanctioned by law that when any foreign power wishes to raise its diplomatic representative in Washington to the ranks of an ambassador that the United States will do the same with its representatives abroad. Now that Japan has stepped into the family of nations as a first class power, it is only natural that she should no longer be satisfied with a minister in Washington. This government is not yearning for the additional expense that ambassador at Tokyo would entail, but if Japan wishes to do us that compliment it is more than probable that her wishes will be met and that Mr. Griscom will be given a step in rank.

Veterans who have spent a quarter of a century closely identified with poultry interests, admit that they still have lessons to learn.

OUR WOMAN'S COLUMN

Money talks. That is why they put a woman's head on the silver dollar.

"Kid" McCoy, the prize fighter, has married a widow with three young children.

Tea leaves moistened with vinegar remove the discolorations in glass caused by flowers.

"Mamma, why is it there will be no marrying in heaven?" "There wouldn't be men enough to go around, my dear child."

They who worry much work little. Give fretful thoughts the busy signal.

Commander Eva Booth, of the Salvation Army, was taken with what the doctors called appendicitis in New York the other evening. She is a grand little woman.

At the 36th annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Medthodist church held in New York the ladies pledged to raise $542,779 the coming year.

One of the foolishnesses of woman—and of man, too, for that matter—is to invite pneumonia and kindred ills by wearing mosquito netting around the ankles in the chill blasts of winter.

If a cloth such as is used for dusting and cleaning is dampened and laid over the registers, when the furnace is being shaken, the annoyance of dust flying over the rooms will be obviated.

When a baby is born among the Armenians of Russia the nurse takes the infant and covers the entire skin with very fine salt. The salt is left on the baby for three hours or more and then the child is washed with warm water.

Ink stains may be removed from white goods with lemon and salt. Cover the satin with fine salt, squeeze the lemon-juice on it, and rub between the hands. A second application will be necessary when the ink is obstinate.

Down in Massachusetts a woman has been taking up a collection among her friends for the purpose of raising money enough to secure a divorce. If the man in the case doesn't feel cheap we may be safe in concluding that the lady deserves freedom.

A floor should never be swept in a room where there is a contagious patient. It should be washed with a cloth and dipped in borax water, so that no dust annoys the patient and no assortment of germs are flung up in the air to drift out of the window.

The moment a woman's heart begins to get sour and embittered the wrinkles crop out ready for business. Her face is as crinkled as a paper lamp shade, and if she ever looks sweet, and young again it is because she has learned to keep her heart sunny.

Miss Mary Carrington of Springfield, Mass., has the distinction of being the most expert typewriter in the United States. She won $50 in a tournament in which young women contested. In an hour Miss Carrington typewrote from dictation with her eyes blindfolded, 3,700 words.

The world will watch with marked interest the effort to establish scientifically the existence of the human soul should Mrs. Charles F. Joy of St. Louis establish a $1,000,000 university in Santa Barbara, Cal., to study soul and other psychic phenomena to make it useful in every-day life.

Say to one who asks you to call again, "Thank you, you are very kind." If you do not care to go again, this is sufficiently polite and noncommital. If you do care to go again, you can add, "I shall be very glad;" but it is not necessary that you should—the first remark is sufficient for all occasions.

Always save your egg shells and use them for the purpose of cleaning bottles and cruets. Store them in a box, and when you wish to wash the bottles crush the shells up very fine, partly fill the bottles with them, pour hot soapsuds over them, and then shake well. Rinse out in clear water, and your bottles will be bright and clean.

Factories are not the fashion in Iceland; everything is made at home, as in the old days; homemade broadcloth, an artistic product of the handloom, is more beautiful than any produced by machinery. Curiously enough little Iceland is the very castle and capital of woman's rights, more than seven thousand women belonging to the Woman's Political League, all of whom can vote for all elective offices except members of the legislature.

A set of rules has lately developed in a suit in court which, if followed out, would enable men to make their wives happy. These rules found in a letter put in evidence, ran as follows: "If your wife is pretty, tell her so; if she's saucy, kiss her! if she is a good cook, commend her; if lonely, stay at home with her." A corresponding rule has already been given to wives to make husbands happy. It is not sentimental but terse, simple, and practical. "Feed the brute."—Ex.

A girl has out-of-school duties to her father as well as her mother. Fathers toil early and late. Some of them get very little good of their homes except on Sunday, that blessed rest day which comes once a week to give freedom from business and opportunity not only for the worship of God, but for loving companionship in the household. When your father comes in at night fagged and weary with the long day, his heart warms and his face lights up with a smile if his daughter is ready to welcome him, to give him the easiest chair and to entertain him with her story of the day.

In some parts of Siam girls who reach a certain age without marrying are placed in a privileged class, under the special care of the king, who binds himself to find husbands for them all. His method is simplicity itself. A prisoner in any one of the Siamese jails may gain his pardon and release by marrying one of the ineligible class.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO EVERYONE

Short Pungant Paragraphs Gathered Here and There

Mark Twain will be 70 years old on the 30th of this month.

Washington, the capital city, is to have a city hall that will cost $2,500,000.

When a man works at a thing just to make a living he never gets to the top.

It is a good plan to make a note of all the advice you get, for some day you may want to write a book.

There were 2,003 deaths among the civil war pensioners during the month of September. This leaves 996,270.

Keep a stiff upper lip. Never complain except to those you know will help you. In other words never complain.

The interest on the Japanese war debt is $75,000,000 a year or nearly twice the revenue of the country ten years ago.

Don't throw your money away unless you want to go to work for the fellow who picks it up.

When the hen refuses to produce there is a scarcity of egg. No substitute or something just as good can take the place of custard pearls.

The Yorkshire, England, *Post* publishes the following advertisement: "Would any lady of means care to marry a poor crowded out clerk, age 37?"

The grain exports for the nine months this year amounted to 105,219,693 bushels, as compared with 48,573,706 for the same months last year.

A Pennsylvania man was obliged to pay his bride's mother $7,000 before he could marry the girl. This is a new wrinkle in marriage settlements.

Here is a good remedy to prevent a cold: When you feel that a cold is coming on put ten drops of camphor in a glass of hot water and drink some before retiring. If taken at the start the cold will disappear.

Luther Burbank of Santa Rosa, Cal., world-famous as "The Wizard of Horticulture," is now a member of the Modern Woodmen society. His application for membership was secured by Special Deputy R. K. Roberts of San Francisco.

Postal authorities say Chicago is the word that is most frequently misspelled by foreigners who send letters to this country. Here are some of the variations: Vizago, Jagjago, Hipago, Jagiga, Schecchacho, Hazago, Chachicho, Shicahbzdo.

Wouldn't it be timely to substitute "rich but honest," for the old watchword of business morals so long in vogue—: "poor but honest." It seems to us the poor suspect should be relieved of the burden of bearing all the load of popular suspicion.

The best way to keep up-to-date and guard against the schemes of grafters and fakirs generally is to read your newspaper religiously, especially your local paper. Sooner or later all forms of graft, of bogus solicitors and fakirs of all sorts are exposed in the press, and it is generally the fellow who does not read the papers regularly and carefully who gets caught.

The new departure will be unwelcome to congressmen. It will strip them of a great part of the "spoils" power they have when the party to which they belong has control. They will be unable henceforth to depend on the "loyalty" of the men for whom they get postmasterships, because they cannot have those men turned out for doing satisfactory work for them.

Rural mail carriers have received orders from headquarters to refuse to take unstamped mail from the boxes. Heretofore patrons have dropped unstamped mail in the boxes; also deposited pennies for the postage. Hereafter such methods will not be permitted, and stamps must be procured from the carrier or elsewhere and be properly affixed by the patron to insure the service desired.

The manufacturers of American harvesters are trying to knock out the manufacturers in Australia by cutting prices. The American harvesters are now selling for $340. It may be interesting for American farmers to keep posted as to just how cheaply a harvester can be made in Chicago, transported nearly around the world, taxed by the Australian protective tariff and then sold.

So varied and extensive are the uses to which cement is being put that no one will be surprised to learn that the trade is estimating an output of 30,000,000 barrels for this calendar year. The production of last year was $26,500,000 barrels, and hardly 20,000,000 barrels two or three years ago. The production of this material seems to have a great future before it. As a substitute for wood, stone and brick in building, it is coming into extend use.

36 DELAWARE STUDENTS

Delaware is well represented at the West Chester State Normal School, there being 36 students enrolled there from the State as follows:

Baynard, Emma C.	Farmington
Beach, Ida E	Delmar
Bennett, Mary E. H.	Milford
Case, Sarah M.	Dover
Colision, Dora	Harrington
Curtin, Robert E.	Lincoln City
Davis, Charlotte M.	Port Penn
Dayett, Elizabeth W.	Wilmington
Dunlap, William C.	Kenton
Evans, Howard E	Harrington
George, Margaret	Frederica
Gordy, George E.	Millsboro
Green, Jesse P.	Wilmington
Hanby, Albert T.	Carpenter
Hazzard, Mary M.	Milton
Hindes, Flora D.	Wilmington
Jaquette, Mabel V.	Newark
Kenney, M. Leah	Dover
Krauss, John E.	Henry Clay
Ledenham, Annie R.	Bridgeville
Lindale, Lida L.	Rehoboth
Lowe, Hollis J.	Delmar
McIlvaine, Clara D.	Magnolia
Mahoney, Helen P.	New Castle
Mahoney, Marie R.	New Castle
Poynter, Margaret D.	Lewes
Robinson, Lulu V.	Smyrna
Rumer, Mary E	Henry Clay
Thompson, Olive P.	Rehoboth
Warrington, Olive M.	Laurel
West, J. Robert	Laurel
White, Caroline	Laurel
Whitehead, Laureta E.	Lincoln City
Whitehead, Mortimer C.	Lincoln City
Willard, Josephine W.	Lewes
Willey, Hester E.	Bridgeville

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Empire styles prevail in many different forms and modifications. The short waisted evening gown is first favorite with fashionable women and the Princess skirt forming a bodice at the upper part is combined with a very short box bolero or Eton. The result is a toilet for afternoon functions that is decidedly a l'Empire. While the Princess skirt with its high corselet suits the slender figure especially well, skilled dressmakers have modified it, reducing the corselet to a girdle moderately high and pointed in the back and sloped to a V in front that is becoming to women with full figures, if the waist worn is in harmonizing color tones, but this mode should not be attempted by the home dressmaker or indeed by any but the most skilled modiste.

Robes in Lace and Embroidery

The robe patterns in lace figured or enriched with spangles and in fine soft fabrics embroidered and inset with lace motifs, are a boon to the woman who wishes an elegant gown with the least employment of dressmaking assistance. These robes are shown at all the smart shops and are shaped and trimmed so that the nearest tyro at dressmaking can achieve satisfactory results, and there need be no sacrifice of individuality in their use for the difference in the lining color and accessories, belt, color, etc., will constitute a distinct difference in the effect of any two exactly similar patterns.

In His New and Elegant Establishment

on 42d St., C. C. Shayne is receiving the congratulations of his many friends and prospective purchasers of furs, every variety of which is displayed in a most attractive manner, especially designed to meet the wants of all classes of customers—prices ranging from the cheapest of reliable furs, to those which are denoted by the use of four figures. Hudson Bay and Russian sable, seal, mink, chinchilla, ermine, broadtail, Persian lamb and Alaska sable are the leading favorites, but, less expensive grades offer many attractions.

The Small Coat

continues in great favor, one style having a belt on the side seams terminating in a handsome clasp at the back. Box coats, loose and half-fitting without collars, or those having straight front and tight back in Russian style, show large, soft collars, which is an exception in coats. These three styles are made in Alaska sable, seal or Persian lamb, and vary in length from twenty-two to forty-six inches. The sleeves are of medium size and usually finished with cuffs. Long coats of mink or broadtail are very elegant, the former finished by jewelled buttons, that are however the luxury of the few.

Shoulder Capes With Medium or Long Ends

offer special attractions, coming in all high grade furs, and as the prevalent fancy for white is still in full force, ermine is supreme particularly for cravats, which impart an air of elegance to the entire costume. Flat boas and throw-over ties are of mink, Alaska sable, lynx, bear, raccoon and baum-marten, variously trimmed or plain, the best grades often finished with heads and tails. The fashionable muff is in pillow shape and for evening wear is often a combination of ermine and seal or broadtail and ermine.

Shoes

for evening wear are high heeled and very elaborate, being strapped in many dainty forms and embroidered in beads and in ribbon work. They are often made up to match the gown, as shoes and costume must match in color. Chiffon rosettes, bows, spangled mousseline, buckles of Rhine stone, gilt or silver all have a place in the ornamentation of the evening slipper.

LUCY CARTER.

LIFE'S PANORAMA IN NEW YORK

The whirligig of life in Gotham is so rapid that it seems impossible to check the pace. One must go with the crowd or be trampled on. To show just how people and things keep on the go the *Tribune* summarizes daily round in these short lines:

Every 40 seconds an immigrant arrives.
Every 3 minutes some one is arrested.
Every 6 minutes a child is born.
Every 7 minutes there is a funeral.
Every 13 minutes a couple gets married.
Every 42 minutes a new business firm starts up.
Every 48 minutes a building catches fire.
Every 48 minutes a ship leaves the harbor.
Every 51 minutes a new building is erected.
Every 1¾ hours some one is killed by accident.
Every 7 hours some one fails in business.
Every 8 hours an attempt to kill some one is made.
Every 8½ hours some couple is divorced.
Every 10 hours some one commits suicide.
Every 2 days someone is murdered.

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Mails Close as Follows.

Going North—7.20 a. m., 10.05 a. m., 3.5? p.m., 5.45 p. m. and 9 p. m.
Going South—8.00 a.m., 4.15 p. m., and 9 p m
For Odessa—7.?0 a. m., 3.3? p. m 11.3? a. m., 4.?0 p. m.
For Warwick Cecilton and Earlville 9.20 a. m. and 4.4? p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., NOV. 15, 1905.

Local News

FOR RENT.—Two 6-room houses on East Main street. Also one stable. Apply to MISS EMMA INGRAM.

Ask your milkman about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

RHODE ISLAND RED COCKERELS FOR SALE.—I have 50 Rhode Island Cockerels from my best pen, at $1.00 and $1 50 each. Must be sold by December 1st.
C. P. COCHRAN,
Middletown, Del.

Ask your doctor about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

Strictly high-class dental service at moderate cost. Free examination and estimate. DR. J. ALLEN JOHNSON, Main street, Middletown, formerly of Indianapolis.

Ask your druggist about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

Leave your laundry at Jones' barber shop. The best of work and prompt service.

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Buff Orpington Cockerels for sale
WALTER BEASTEN, Middletown, Del.

Ask the bartenders about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

After Oct. 1st the library hours will be as follows: Tuesdays from 3.30 to 5 P. M.; Saturdays from 3.30 to 5 P. M., and 7 to 8.30 P. M.

Short range shells at Massey's. Will make a full choke gun pattern same as open gun. Just the thing for birds and rabbits.

Ask the police about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

LOST.—Saturday, Nov. 4th, between Ninth and Broome streets and Dover, by way of the State Road, a satchel containing ladies' clothes and two silver brushes. Reward of $10.00 if returned to 813 Equitable Building, Wilmington.

Ask your barber about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

WANTED—COMPOSITORS, Foreman and Job Hands, open shop, 9 hours per day. Apply, Room 1, Bayard Annex, 3 E. 9th St., Wilmington, Del.

I have taken the agency for the Electric Laundry and will call for and deliver all orders promptly. Laundry may be left at the residence of my father on North Broad street at any time Good work guaranteed. EPHRAIM JOLLS.

Ask James A Hamilton about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

A candy sale will be given by the Girl's Social Club, Saturday, November 11th, in the office of Mrs. McKee, on East Main street. The proceeds will be for charity.

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of letters remain unclaimed in the post office for the week ending Oct. 26: Mrs. John Baunut, Mrs. Rachel Black, Miss L. Henson, Miss Lizzie Pennington, Elwood Carr.

Ask your minister about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

A meeting was called last week to reorganize the mission study class of the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Charles Derrickson is the leader of the class.

Rev. F. H. Moore of the Presbyterian Church preached every night last week in the Newark Church, where they are holding extra services.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brady, Jr., celebrated their wedding anniversary on Monday evening. Only the relatives and a few friends were present, but the occasion was one of much enjoyment for all.

Ask the iceman about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Archer Ritchie entertained a few friends last Saturday evening, in honor of Miss Adelaide Jefferson Foard, who this week become the bride of Mr. William Sterling, of Elkton, Md. The entertainment was in the form of a musicale and was much enjoyed by all.

Ask your grocer about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

Mr. E. H. Becks the local Real Estate agent, is advertising a grocery business and meat market for sale in this issue. Both stands are now doing a thriving business, and would doubtless prove good investments. Read his ad. for full particulars.

The Ladies' Century Club will hold an evening soiree on Tuesday evening, November 14th, which will take the place of the regular weekly meeting. On Tuesday, November 28th, the Club will hold a cake sale in their rooms, beginning at 4 30 o'clock, P. M., and the following ladies were appointed a soliciting committee: Mrs. Charles Derrickson, Mrs. W. R. Parker, Mrs. Richard Cochran, Mrs. Eliza Green, Mrs. Bertie Hoffecker and Miss Julia Lockwood.

FOR SALE.—Farm of 213 acres two miles from Middletown, and one containing 65 acres, about the same distance from town, at $50 and $65 per acre. These are fine homes with good buildings. I also have farms for sale of all sizes, from $1,000 to $10,000. I also have $10.000 to loan in first mortgage at 5 per cent. Want first mortgage for $1,000 and $1,200.

GEO. W. INGRAM,
Middletown, Del.

Secretary Wilson, having recently returned from a western trip, is said to be enthusiastic about this year's grain crops, believing that the figures will be larger this year than last. His opinion is that housewives, all over the United States, will pay lower retail prices this season for flour meal, meats, eggs, poultry, dairy products, etc ,—all on account of the big crops.

Cream Puffs and Crullers, fresh every day at WEBER'S BAKERY.

Dr. Edward M. Vaughan having decided to locate in Middletown for the practice of Medicine and Surgery, offers his services to the people of Middletown and surrounding community. Temporary office at Mrs. Lippincott's, West Main street.

Prince March record 2 20, and owned by Mr. C. M. Cochran of "Cochran Grange" is attracting the attention of horsemen all over this Peninsula. He was never trained until this season, and has only been in two races, coming out first at the Gentlemen's Driving Park in Baltimore las week with a string of good ones, and at Greenwood on Thursday he was the winner in the 2.20 class. In this race James Dudley, 2.19¼, The Sentinel, 2.15¼ General Cruser, were entered but Prince March was able to defeat the trio in a walk. He made his best time in the fourth heat 2.15¼, and it is the opinion of a majority of our horsemen that he will greatly reduce his present record of 2 20 next season. Prince March is entered in the Dover race, which is to take place on Tuesday, November 14th.

PERSONALITIES

Mrs. N. P. Crouch, of Wilmington, is the guest of relatives here.

Mr. Hugh C. Browne, of Wilmington, was in town on Thursday.

Miss Anna B. Derrickson is spending sometime in Norristown, Pa.

Mrs. J. H. Hardcastle is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. R. Cochran.

Mr. Charles Hidley, of Harrisburg, Pa, was in town Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George G. Rowe has been visiting relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. John Burris, of Wilmington, was in town several days this week.

Miss Elizabeth R. Hall spent Sunday with relatives at Principio, Md.

Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker and son John are visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. Edward D. Hearne and son, of Georgetown, are visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cox spent several days this week with relatives in Camden, N. J.

Miss Lydia Murphey has returned to her home in Philadelphia, after a week's visit at the Manse.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lightbourne, of Oxford, Md., is visiting her son, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Lightbourne.

Mrs. George Embury and son Pierson, of West Chester, are guests of her sister, Mrs. Fred Brady, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Sterner, of Camden, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell and son, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Bradley.

Mr. Herman Wilson, of Philadelphia, spent several days during the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Collins and children, of Wilmington, were guests of relatives in and near town during the past week.

Mrs. John Jamison and Mrs. Catherine Bailey, of Philadelphia, spent one day during the past week with Mrs. Sallie Kumpel.

Mrs. William McCrone and little daughter, of McDonough, were guests of her father, Mr. James R. Hoffecker, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sloan and little daughter, of Elkton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin T. Alexander.

CHURCH NOTES

Bethesda Epworth Leagne meets on the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "The Dangers of Indulgence." Prov. 23:29 35; Isa. 5:22-25. (Temperance Meeting.) Miss Mary J. Lynam.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of Forest Presbyterian Church, meets every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "The Dangers of Indulgence." Prov. 23:29-35; Isa. 5:22-25. (Temperance Meeting) Leader, Mrs. Lewis.

ANGLERS ACTIVE

Having received notification that persons are proaching on the Delaware and Chesapeake canal, the Delaware Anglers' Association which sometime ago stocked the waters of that stream and others with game fish, has taken action, and in addition to engaging a special detective to watch out for poachers, warning notices are being issued by Joseph Wigglesworth, secretary of the association. Persons living along the canal will assist the association in protecting the fish, and among the number are Senator H. C. Ellison, R. M. Cann and Levy Court Commissioner C. H. Salmon. The warning notices which will be posted along the canal follow:

Warning—The catching of black bass under the length of seven inches is prohibited by Chapter 372, Volume 22, Laws of Delaware. Penalty, five dollars for each fish so caught or in possession.

The catching of any kind of fish in the waters of the Chesapeake and Delaware canal, or its feeders, with net or seine, is prohibited by Chapter 373, Volume 22, Laws of Delaware. Penalty, ten to fifty dollars.

Any person or persons violating either of the above acts will be prosecuted. In convictions, one half of the fine is paid to the informer.

The Delaware Anglers' Association.
Joseph Wigglesworth, Secretary.

NOTICE--REMOVAL

Dr. W. E. Barnard, Surgeon Dentist, has vacated the Anderson property, and removed his offices and residence to the property recently occupied by the late S. M. Reynolds, next door to the post office. Long Distance 'Phone, No. 57.

AUTUMN CHURCH WEDDING

Miss Adelaide Jefferson Foard United in Marriage to Mr. William Sterling Evans

One of the most pleasant social events that has occurred here for some time, transpired on Thursday evening. It was the marriage of Miss Adelaide Jefferson Foard, second daughter of Ex-Clerk of the Peace and Mrs. Jefferson Bayard Foard, and Mr. William Sterling Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Evans, Elkton, Md.

Several hundred invitations were sent out, and most of the recipients responded in honor of one of Middletown's favorite daughters, and before the time for the wedding, the beautiful Foard home was filled with many friends from a distance.

The ceremony took place in St. Anne's Episcopal Church of which the bride is a member. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and other potted plants, greens, chrysanthemums and cut flowers.

The ceremony was performed by Archdeacon George C. Hall, of Wilmington. The bride was given away by her father and the wedding march was played by Mr. Alfred M. Chamberlaine, the church organist.

The bride's gown was of white crepe de chine, trimmed with point lace and chiffon, and she carried an exquisite bouquet of bride's roses.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Frank R. Pool, of McDonough, only sister of the bride and she wore a white net robe, and carried yellow chrysanthemums. There were no brides" maids.

John P. Evans, of Elkton, a brother of the groom, was the best man, and the ushers were Stanley Evans and Frank Evans, brothers of the groom, Dr. Robert Mitchell, of Baltimore, Charles Blank and Frederick Frazier, of Elkton, and Frank R. Pool, of McDonough, brother-in-law of the bride.

After the ceremony, the bride and groom received the congratulations of many friends. A reception was held at the bride's home fo the relatives of the two families and the friends from a distance. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Evans left for a wedding trip. The going away gown was a beautiful blue broadcloth with a blue velvet hat.

Upon their return, they will reside in Elkton, where Mr. Evans is secretary of James F. Powers Foundry Company. The presents wereamong the handsomest given to any Middletown bride for years.

DEATH OF SAMUEL M. ENOS

Samuel M. Enos died at his home in Summit Bridge Thursday evening at 8 o'clock after a short illness, aged 83 years. Mr. Enos was one of the best known men in rural New Castle County, and his many friends will regret to learn of his death.

In 1866 he was elected Levy Court Commissioner and later was tax collector for St. Georges Hundred filling both offices with honor to himself and to his party. Mr. Enos was a Republican, and for many years took an active part in politics. Deceased was for years the best known auctioneer in this section, and continued to call sales as long as his health would permit. He leaves two children, Mrs. Peter Alrichs and Harry Enos, both residing at Summit Bridge.

Funeral services will be held in St. Paul's M. E. Church, Odessa, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock; interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Card of Thanks

Through the columns of THE TRANSCRIPT we wish to thank the kind people of this community who furnished carriages at the funeral of our little daughter, and to everyone who offered their assistance in the hours of our sad bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. FRED MOWRY.

INSTITUTE ENDS

NEWARK, Nov. 9—The thirty-first annual New Castle County Teachers' Institute which began in the Opera House here on Monday, ended this afternoon. The exercises to-day were lengthy and the concluding business was the election of officers and the reports of committee.

When the session began this morning the teachers sang "America," and "Our Delaware," there was responsive reading of Psalm I. and the Rev. Dr. Jel S. Gilfillan offered prayer. The Rev. Hubert W. Wells, of Wilmington, sang a solo, "Angels Guard Thee," with violin obligato, very acceptably. The remainder of the morning program was:

Violin solo. "Legende," Henri Wieniawski, Miss Edna Turner Bradfield; "The Educator's Philosophy," Prof. George Leslie Omwake; solo, "To Sylvia," Schubert, Rev. Hubert W. Wells; violin solo, "Moto Perpetuo," Frederic Seitz, Miss Edna Turner Bradfield; "English Words," Prof. Edgar Dawson; "The Educator's Art," Prof. George Leslie Omwake.

When the Institute reconvened at 2 P. M. Prof. Omwake made an interesting address on "An Educational Profession." The election of officers and reports of committees followed after which the Institute adjourned. The trip to Valley Forge will formally end the annual meeting to-morrow.

ST. GEORGES

Mrs. Garman is visiting friends in Norfolk, Va.

The school teachers attended institute in Newark this week.

Mr. Randolph Pratt is visiting his home in Clayton this week.

Mr. Thomas Bird is critically ill at his home at Bird's Corner.

Mr. H. V. Buckson is spending part of this week in Philadelphia.

Miss Ida Wright spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Crompton.

Mr. Benjamin Simmons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Murry near Newark.

Mrs. Julius Brewington has returned after spending several weeks in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and three children spent Sunday with friends in Christiana.

Mrs. John Moore is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Doto, of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lester and granddaughter, Miss Bessie, are visiting friends in North East, Md.

Mr. Clark Tompson is spending sometime with his neice, Mrs. Albert Crompton, near Kirkwood.

Miss Violet Gray is in Maryland attending the wedding of her aunt, Mrs. Esther Cubbage to ex-Governor Reynolds.

Mrs. Abbie Buckson has returned to her home in Stanton after a two week's visit to her son, Harry V. Buckson and family.

The rummage sale recently held by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church was a financial success, the amount realized being $320.

Mr. Randolp Pratt principal of the public schools, announced that he was going to Clayton last Saturday to attend his own wedding. On his return Monday morning he was met at the station with a hack bearing these words in large letters "Randolph Pratt just wed." That evening quite a number gathered at his boarding house and gave him a rousing serenade. Mr. Pratt says he will never tell another "joke."

ODESSA

Miss Edna Ewell visited Philadelphia Thursday of this week.

Mr. Fred Davis, of Wilmington, was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Sophia Megee and daughter Helen are guests of relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. H. Ward and sons Wilbur and Norman are visiting Philadelphia and Chester.

Miss Margaret McCoy is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Bolten, in Middletown.

Miss Lidie Fox returned home Tuesday after spending a week with friends in Philadelphia.

Messrs. Cyrus Keen and Elwood Jackson, of Wilmington are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Keen.

Mrs. George L. Townsend entertained the Ladies' Aid Society at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. G. Kulkopt and daughter Corrine are spending this week with her mother in Kirkwood.

Master Joseph Rhodes, of Summit Bridge, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Rhodes.

Capt. William Rhein, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. William P. Rhein and wife.

Mrs. Ida Heller, of Marshalton, returned home Tuesday after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. William H. Heller.

Misses Frances Husband, Ethel Mailly, France Aspril and Jemiena Short, teachers of our public school, attended the Institute at Newark this week.

Mrs. U. P. Ginn, of near town, entertained her sister, Miss Emma Vinyard, of Warwick, and friend Miss Gertrude McCrone, of Middletown, on Saturday.

The Rev. J. L. Campbell, of Hanian, China, will occupy the pulpit of Drawers' Presbyterian Church to-morrow (Sunday) evening. Services at 7 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

A surprise was given Miss Lucy Appleton on Monday evening by her friends. About twenty were present and a very pleasant time was had by all. Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and fruits were served.

The Epworth League held a business meeting on Tuesday evening and elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Rev. W. E. Gunby; First vice president, Miss Bertha Stevens; Second vice president, Mr. J. G. Brown; Third vice president, Miss Martha Townsend; Fourth vice president, Mrs. G. W. Davis; Secretary, Miss Francis Aspril; Treasurer, Miss Mary Gilch; Pianist, Miss Mary Townsend; Assistant, Miss Ethel Mailly. At the same time four new members were enrolled.

WARWICK

Mrs. Edward Lynch is visiting in Baltimore.

W. T. Vinyard spent Sunday in Middle Neck.

Mrs. Mary A. Lofland has been quite ill during the past week.

Mrs. Elwood Parriss is visiting her parents on Bohemia Manor.

Rev. Charles A. Crowley was a visitor in the Quaker City on Tuesday.

William Carroll was confined to his room on Tuesday, but is now able to be out.

Miss Amy Piser, of near town, visited her sister, Mrs. Wilson Merritt, on Sunday last.

Mr. M. E. Manlove spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. E. E. Marsh was the guest of Mr. Biddle Hossengier, near Chestertown, last week.

Amos R. Merritt, of Wilmington, Del., was the guest of his parents during the past week.

Mrs. Verena L. Vinyard is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Urie P. Ginn, near Odessa.

Preaching at the M. P. Church tomorrow morning at 10.30 o'clock, Rev. Frank S. Cain, pastor.

Mr. Edward G. Lynch has accepted a position in Wilmington, Del., and left for that city last Saturday.

Dr. Galen Wright who is confined to his room with typhoid fever, is improving rapidly at this writing.

An oyster supper and festival under the auspices of the M. P. Church has been in progress during the past week.

Mr. Carl Clark, of Millington, was in town on Tuesday evening, searching for his team which was stolen from that town.

CECILTON

John Benson, of Philadelphia, visited friends in town on Tuesday.

Miss Mollie Richards was entertained by Mrs. William Alderson recently.

Miss Lillie Short spent a few days of the past week with Miss Edna Stephens.

Arthur Freeman, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, William Freeman and wife.

William Pierce and wife, of Philadelphia, are guests of his brother, James Pierce and wife.

Fred Hoover, of St. John, Annapolis, spent the past week with his parents, S. P. Hoover and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Jones and daughter, of Kennedyville, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Thomas P. Jones.

Lewis Cruikshank, of Philadelphia, has been spending the past week with his parents, T. C. Cruikshank and wife.

Byron Bouchelle and wife, of Chesapeake City, have been the guests of his grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Ferguson.

Our public school which was closed during the past week re-opened on Monday, the scarlet fever scare being over.

Rev. W. F. Dawson, Mrs. John Manlove, Misses Lelia McCoy and Anna Alderson attended the Epworth League Convention at Clayton last week.

Mrs. John VanBuskirk and daughters, Misses Blanche and Penola, of Baltimore, have returned to their home after visiting her parents, John Morris and wife.

PORT PENN

Miss Lina Bendler is visiting at St. Georges.

Miss Rebecca Davis spent last Saturday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Harry Faunce is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Joseph Yearsley and daughter are visiting friends in Edgemoor.

Mr. Peter J. Mulligan, of Delaware City, visited town on Monday.

Mrs. Cordery and son Edward started on Friday for a visit to friends in Brooklyn.

Miss Blanche Yearsley is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Fortner, of Middletown.

The P. O. S. of A. intend to hold a poultry supper in the Hall on Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. John Garrey and family, of Atlantic City, N. J., spent one day last week with E. S. Zacheis.

Miss Ida Jones is among friends in Philadelphia and hopes to extend her sojourn to New York City before returning home.

Mrs. Willis, widow of Rev. John Willis, left on Saturday intending to reside at Centralia, Ill. Her husband died here a few years ago during his pastorate of the Presbyterian Church.

Capt. Eugene H. Jefferson, of Seattle, Washington, is visiting his cousin, Miss Lydia A. Jefferson and renewing old acquaintances. He is a son of the late John Jefferson, and came to the village when a lad and after his father's death remained in his uncle's family several years. He has lived on the Pacific Coast for sometime, and at present is engaged in its Government service at Seattle.

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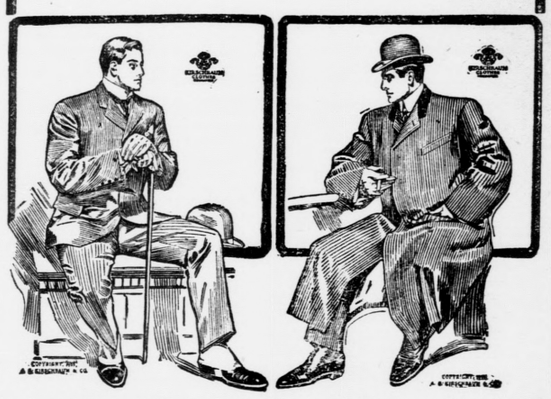

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